



April 28, 2016

Via ECFS

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: *Connect America Fund*, WC Docket No. 10-90

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The first phase of the USF Order released on March 30, 2016 is to allow companies that may elect to take Model-Based support to file challenges about competitive overlap identified by the FCC. The FCC obtained their information from the June 30, 2015 FCC Form 477 filings. These challenges along with the appropriate documentation need to be filed by April 28, 2016.

This challenge is for Van Buren Telephone Company, SAC 351319. The competitors identified in the ACAM model are: Natel and Danville Mutual Telephone. The impacted census blocks, reasons for challenge and supporting evidence have been included with this filing.

Thank you for your attention to this correspondence. Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, a copy of this letter is being filed via ECFS.

Sincerely,
/s/ Burnie E. Snoddy

Burnie E. Snoddy
Senior Telecommunications Consultant

cc: Katie King, via email (Katie.King@fcc.gov)

FCC Docket 10-90
Competitive Overlap Challenge
Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc.

Filing Entity Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc.
SAC 351319

191779501004007 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001008 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001011 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001012 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001043 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001058 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001060 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001061 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4
191779502001063 Iowa	Natel	No voice offering; No established presence for offering 10/1	Natel Webpage of services offered; Coverage map; IUB Information	Attachment #3; Attachment #4



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April 27, 2016

Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc.
617 First ST
PO Box 430
Keosauqua, IA 52565-0430

Dear Mr. Hranicka:

I am writing to confirm that Danville Mutual Telephone Company is a subsidized incumbent Local Exchange Carrier that receives Universal Service Support and that we do not serve customers in Van Buren and Jefferson Counties that are adjacent to or within your exchanges boundaries. Our service areas do not meet in the same census blocks along the borders of the Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc. exchanges and we do not have any customers in any of the census blocks you serve. Please refer to the December 31, 2015 FCC Form 477 filing.

The Danville Mutual Telephone Company is listed under:

FRN: 0003745957

Study Area: 351147

This information is in support of the challenge process for Danville Mutual Telephone Company and Van Buren Telephone Company, Inc. to remove each other as competitors in the census blocks as listed in the USAC and FCC competitive census blocks.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Timothy Fencil', is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Timothy Fencil
General Manager & CEO



HIGH COST

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498 ID=Service Provider and Billed Entity Identification Number; HCL=High Cost Loop; HCM=High Cost Model; IAS=Interstate Access Support; ICLS=Interstate Common Line Support; LSS=Local Switching Support; SNA=Safety Net Additive Support; SVS=Safety Valve Support; FHCS=Frozen High Cost Support; IS=Incremental Support; ICC=Connect America Fund Inter-carrier Compensation; Mobility I=Mobility Fund Phase One; CACM =Connect America Cost Model; RBE = Rural Broadband Experiments Fund.

High Cost Disbursement Data (498 ID = ALL , SAC = 351147 , SAN = ALL , Year = 2015 , Month = ALL , State = IA)

This disbursement tool contains data from Jan 2003 through Mar 2016.

State	498 ID	Study Area Code	Study Area Name	HCL	HCM	IAS	ICLS	LSS	SNA	SVS	FHCS	IS	ICC	Mobility I	CACM	RBE	Year	Month
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Dec
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Nov
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$51	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Oct
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Sep
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Aug
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,822	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,951	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Jul
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Jun
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	May
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$6	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Apr
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Mar
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Feb
IA	143001942	351147	DANVILLE MUTUAL TEL	(\$192)	\$0	\$0	\$9,872	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$5,665	\$0.00	\$0	\$0.00	2015	Jan

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Screen shots of NaTel website;
No voice plans currently offered.

The screenshot shows the top portion of the NaTel website. At the top right, there is a contact number 'Call 1-641-469-6220' and a link 'Go to Webmail >'. Below this is the NaTel logo, which includes the text 'NATEL BROADBAND Internet'. A navigation menu contains links for 'HOME', 'SERVICES', 'PRICING', 'COVERAGE', 'SUPPORT', 'ABOUT', 'CONTACT US', and 'GO TO WEBMAIL >'. The main banner features the headline 'Broadband for everyone!' in large white text. Below the headline are three orange phrases: 'Competitive rates / Outstanding support / Hassle free installation'. At the bottom of the banner, it says 'Call today - (641) 469-6220' next to a 'Get Connected!' button and a Facebook icon.

Why Choose Natel Broadband?

Natel strives to effortlessly and reliably connect people to a world of possibilities. Our pricing plans are "a la carte" and do not require you to purchase additional services that you don't need. Step into the fast lane today! (641) 469-6220

What's New?

Natel Receives Best Business Improvement Award

Natel Broadband was one of several local business to receive the Business Improvement Award at the 2016 Fairfield Area Chamber [READ MORE](#)



Residential Broadband

Over fiber or through the air, Natel Broadband is an affordable alternative to the big ISPs. [Learn More >](#)



Rural Access

Can't get DSL or Cable? Fed up with Dial-up? Natel has you covered. [Learn more >](#)



Business Services

Is your business up to speed? Get easy phone and internet solutions from Natel. [Learn more >](#)

NaTel is a Broadband company that is not certificated in Iowa to provide local exchange service per Iowa Utility Board information. See Attachment 4



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Faster	Fastest	Fast
per month	per month	per month
\$39	\$59	\$29
no payment required	Best Deal	no payment required
2 Mbps	5 Mbps	1 Mbps
36x Dial-up Speed*	80x Dial-up Speed*	18x Dial-up Speed*
No Download Limit	No Download Limit	No Download Limit
Free E-mail	Free E-mail	Free E-mail
Friendly Support	Friendly Support	Friendly Support
Sign Up Now	Sign Up Now	Sign Up Now

Contact Us

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907 W. Burlington Ave.
Fairfield, IA 52556

Need Support?

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Internet Speed Test



10/1 Service is not available in the Birmingham area



Professional Installation for \$149 City/\$199 Rural includes basic Radio Transceiver Unit, necessary hardware plus an ethernet cable run to one location in your home. Any additional equipment or additional wiring locations will incur additional fees.



Add a **Wireless Router for \$89**
Connect multiple desktops, laptops, video game consoles and smart phones with a custom-configured wireless router.



Special Pricing for multi-tenant buildings Please call us today to get information on special pricing we have for certain multi-tenant buildings in your area! Are you a landlord? We are happy to discuss getting your buildings installed and qualified for a reduced rate.



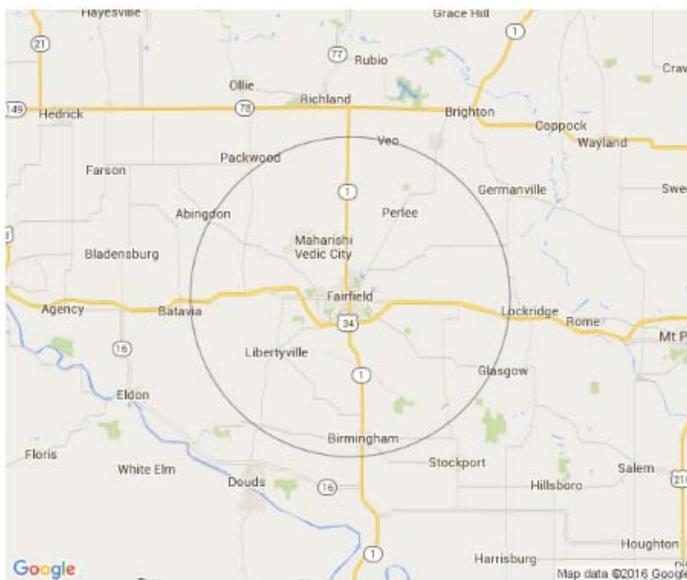
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Natel currently offers internet service in Batavia, Birmingham, Brighton, Evansdale, Fairfield, Libertyville, Lockridge, Packwood, Pleasant Plain and Waterloo.

Fiber connections are available within Fairfield, Centerville and Vedic City only.

Southeast Iowa Coverage Map:



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907 W. Burlington Ave.
Fairfield, IA 52556

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Internet Speed Test





Telephone Services

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Natel has extensive experience engineering, installing, and maintaining business telephone systems large and small. We offer a variety of telephony solutions tailored to your business. They range from a single line to a large-scale virtual PBX systems with sophisticated features including auto-attendant, voicemail options, and unified messaging. These systems allow any business, large or small, to implement an affordable top-tier communication system for the successful operation of their business and professional presentation to the marketplace.

We have experienced staff to help you design, configure and implement a system tailored to your needs and budget.

Advertised as installing and maintaining systems

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Natel Fiber

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Natel offers Internet service over our fiber optic network in Fairfield, IA. We have service to many buildings throughout town and can provide custom quotes for new installations based on location.

How it works:

Natel has over 60 miles of municipal fiber optic network in operation throughout Fairfield and Vedic City as well as in Centerville and Mount Pleasant. Our fiber offering is state of the art, up to 1 gigabit speeds and is targeted toward businesses and high-performance residential needs.

We install fiber optic cables for service delivery from our nearest network node to your facility in order to create a link back to our network operation center. From there we provision and monitor the connection for the fastest and most reliable Internet service available anywhere.

Installation:

Professional installation includes a fiber run to your location as well as equipment and labor necessary to deliver Internet service via Ethernet cable to one location in your home or business. Wiring of additional locations or multiple computers will incur additional charges.

Please note that we offer service to a wide variety of residential and commercial multi-tenant buildings throughout Fairfield. If we have service in the building your installation costs could be very minimal. Call our office to inquire about your location.

There are no taxes or additional fees with our service.

All pricing plans are "a la carte" and do not require you to purchase additional services that you don't need (e.g. phone or television).

Advertised as Internet service over fiber - no voice

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